George Carson, from the Committee on Judiciary, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred house file No. 499, a bill for an act authorizing the secretary of state to purchase and distribute the revised and annotated Code of Iowa, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration, and have adopted a substitute, and have instructed me to report the same back to the house with the recommendation that it be adopted, and when adopted that it do pass.

Ordered passed on file.

SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE FILE NO. 499.]

A BILL

FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa, That the "revised

- 2 $\,$ and annotated Code of Iowa," prepared by William E. Miller, and to be published by Mills &
- 3 Co., of Des Moines, Iowa, when so published, and certified by the secretary of state to em-
- 4 brace the Code of Iowa of 1873, as amended by subsequent statutes, and the general and per-
- 5 manent statutes of the fifteenth, sixteenth, seventeenth and eighteenth general assemblies,
- 6 shall be receivable in evidence in all the courts of this state, with like effect as if published
- 7 by the state.